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FM AMEMBASSY YAOUNDE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4913

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AMEMBASSY MADRID

AMCONSULATE DOUAALA VIA POUCH

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FOR: AF/C - MS HALL DIGGS

E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: EQUATORIAL GUINEA - PETROLEUM EXPLORATION

REF: STATE 3474

1. EG AMBASSADOR TO CAMEROON ESSONA MICA, JUST BACK FROM VISIT TO EG, HAS REPEATED PRESIDENT MACIAS' PREVIOUS ASSURANCE THAT HE READY RECEIVE AMOCO REPS ANYTIME. MACIAS CURRENTLY IN RIO MUNI AND WILL REMAIN THERE REST OF JANUARY. ESSONA MICA STATED AGREEMENT TO PROPOSED JAN 16 VISIT. HE INFORMING GOEG THAT AMOCO REPS, ACCOMPANIED BY AMCONSUL DOUALA, WILL DEPART DOUALA BY CHARTER AIRCRAFT FOR BATA AT 0900 JAN 16 (RPT JAN 16-PARA 2 OF DOUALA 19 CONTAINED TYPO ERROR).

2. RE VISAS, ESSONA MICA STRESSED NEED AMOCO REPS COME TO YAOUNDE TO OBTAIN VISAS IF THEY UNABLE OBTAIN THEM FROM EG UN REP. SEEMED IMPERVIOUS TO OUR SUGGESTION THAT AIRPORT VISA ARRANGEMENTS MIGHT BE MADE FOR SUCH SPECIAL VISITORS, ALLEGEDLY BECAUSE HIS COMMUNICATIONS WITH EG "VERY PRIMITIVE" AND HE CANNOT COUNT ON EFFECTIVENESS OF COMPLEX MESSAGES. IN VIEW THIS SITUATION, SUGGEST AMOCO REPS/USUN MAKE EVERY LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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EFFORT OBTAIN EG VISAS IN NEW YORK. OTHERWISE, QUICK ROUND-

TRIP TO YAOUNDE WILL BE NECESSARY. COMMERCIAL FLIGHTS TO
YAOUNDE LEAVE DOUALA 0845 BOTH JAN 14 AND 15, WITH RETURN
FLIGHTS EACH DAY AT 1800.

3. PLS CABLE ETA DOUALA.
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